## CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD CENTRAL VALLEY REGION

11020 Sun Center Drive, #200, Rancho Cordova, California 95670-6114

## **PUBLIC HEARING**

concerning

## CEASE AND DESIST ORDER

for

## CITY OF LOYALTON, WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT SIERRA COUNTY

The City of Loyalton owns and operates a wastewater collection, treatment, storage, and disposal system to serve the needs of its residents. The Regional Board will consider adoption of a Cease and Desist (C&D) Order to require the City to identify and implement wastewater treatment plant improvements/upgrades to comply with Waste Discharge Requirements Order No. 5-01-069.

A **formal** public hearing concerning this matter will be held during the Regional Board meeting which is scheduled for:

DATE: 23 June 2005
TIME: 8:30 a.m.

DATE: 24 June 2005
TIME: 8:30 a.m.

PLACE: Coastal Hearing Room – 2<sup>nd</sup> Flr PLACE: Central Valley RWQCB

Joe Serna Jr./Cal/EPA Building
1001 I Street
1002 Sun Center Drive, St. 200
Rancho Cordova, CA 95670-6114

Sacramento, CA 95814

The designated parties for this hearing are as follows:

- Staff of Central Valley Regional Board
- City of Loyalton

Only designated parties will have these rights: to call and examine witnesses; to introduce exhibits; to cross-examine opposing witnesses; to impeach any witness; and to rebut the evidence against him or her. All other persons wishing to testify or provide comments are interested persons and not designated parties. Such interested persons may request status as a designated party for purposes of this hearing by submitting such request in writing to the Board no later than 17 June 2005. The request must explain the basis for status as a designated party and in particular how the person is directly affected by the discharge.

Persons wishing to comment on this noticed hearing item must submit testimony, evidence, and/or comments in writing to the Regional Board no later than 17 June 2005. Written testimony, evidence, or comments submitted after 17 June 2005 will not be accepted and will not be incorporated into the administrative record if doing so would prejudice any party.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CITY OF LOYALTON WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT SIERRA COUNTY

All interested persons may speak at the Board meeting, and are expected to orally summarize their written submittals. Oral testimony will be limited in time by the Board Chair.

Anyone having questions on the Cease and Desist Order should contact Timothy O'Brien at (916) 464-4616. Interested parties may download the proposed Order and related documents from the Regional Board's Internet website at <a href="http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/rwqcb5/tentative/">http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/rwqcb5/tentative/</a>. If you do not have Internet access, these documents may be inspected and copied at the Regional Board's office at 11020 Sun Center Drive, #200, Rancho Cordova, California 95670-6114 weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

The procedures governing Regional Water Board meetings may be found at Title 23, California Code of Regulations, Section 647 et seq. and is available upon request. Hearings before the Regional Water Board are not conducted pursuant to Government Code section 11500 et seq. The procedures may be obtained by accessing <a href="http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/water\_laws/index.html">http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/water\_laws/index.html</a>. Information on meeting and hearing procedures is also available on the Regional Board's website at <a href="http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/rwqcb5/board\_meetings/mtgprocd.html">http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/rwqcb5/board\_meetings/mtgprocd.html</a> or by contacting any one of the Board's offices. Questions regarding such procedures should be directed to Ms. Janice Tanaka at (916) 464-4839

The hearing facilities will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Individuals requiring special accommodations are requested to contact Ms. Janice Tanaka at (916) 464-4839 at least 5 working days prior to the meeting. TTY users may contact the California Relay Service at 1-800-735-2929 or voice line at 1-800-735-2922.

Please bring the above information to the attention of anyone you know who would be interested in this matter.

Jack E. Del Conte, Assistant Executive Officer

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